

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
DISTRICT OF NEW JERSEY

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THOMAS JAMES CLAUSO,

1:18-cv-12217 (NLH) (LHG)

Plaintiff,

**MEMORANDUM OPINION  
& ORDER**

v.

WARDEN WILLIE BONDS, et al.,

Defendants.

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**HILLMAN, District Judge**

WHEREAS, on March 15, 2021, the Court denied summary  
judgment on two claims against Guard Martinelli and Guard Hansen  
see ECF No. 62; and

WHEREAS, Plaintiff Thomas Clauso previously requested the

appointment of counsel. ECF No. 14. The application was denied as the Court concluded the factors set forth in Tabron v. Grace, 6 F.3d 147 (3d Cir. 1993) did not support appointing counsel at that time, ECF No. 32; and

WHEREAS, Plaintiff shall be ordered to show cause in writing why the Court should not revisit that decision and appoint counsel for Plaintiff in light of the changed circumstances,

THEREFORE, IT IS on this 22nd day of March, 2021

ORDERED that within 21 days of this Order, Plaintiff shall show cause in writing why the Court should not appoint an attorney from the civil pro bono panel to represent him for trial purposes; and it is finally

ORDERED that the Clerk shall send a copy of this Order to Plaintiff by regular mail.

At Camden, New Jersey

s/ Noel L. Hillman  
NOEL L. HILLMAN, U.S.D.J.